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Her Birthday
Gift

At the age of sixteen, Miss Aileen Dusant was presented with a chicken. It was in a way a birthday present. She wanted something alive—something she could pet and call her very own. The pet was reared in the lap of luxury, the kitchen, the halls and several other places. In time he developed a crow, and in a short time he became a rooster.

At the age of nineteen Miss Aileen became interested in the question of vivisection. She looked upon the practice on birds and beasts as something horrible. She read and talked and protested until she had terrible dreams. She dreamed of seeing bar-armed surgeons cutting the throat of her rooster to find out why he didn't sing instead of crow, and for two days afterwards she would shiver at the thought.

One day the four-year-old rooster wandered out on the highway. He was wallowing in the dust and keeping an eye out for grocer boys when an auto came speeding along. He started to fly, but was knocked down and run over. The young man in the machine had begun to laugh when a thrilling scream chased it away. Out of a nearby gate came a young lady with flying hair. Indeed, she had a hair-brush in one hand and a hand-glass in the other, but she dropped both and gathered up the flopping fowl. The rooster had a broken leg.

"I did not see him," faltered the young man, and yet with an amused twinkle in his eyes.

"But you should have seen him!" was retorted. "Do you think the highway is free only to you? You are either very careless or very heartless."

It was young Dr. George Clymer who had just started in practice in the village. He had funds enough to keep an auto, and medicinal cheek enough to go skurrying around in it as if he had received a call from a man with a broken neck. This trip was one of his skurries. While driving along, he was thinking how, and when his first patient would come. He saw how seriously the girl took the affair, and he introduced himself, and added that if any bones had been broken he would be happy to mend them free of cost.

"It is his right leg," she replied. "He may also have received internal injuries."

"I trust not. I had thought of taking him to the office, where I have all the necessary appliances for setting broken limbs, but—"

"You can bring your appliances and perform the operation here," commanded the owner of the rooster as she did her best to soothe the bird. "I will take him into the house."

Doctor Clymer felt both amused and insulted. The young lady was good looking. The family was wealthy. He was single and ready to fall in love. On the other hand, was his first patient to be a "broken-legged rooster?" Would that recommend him to the village? That was veterinary work, if work for anyone. No, he would not go back and become surgeon to a rooster. He entered his office and sat down to a medical book. Tingling at the telephone. Half an hour had passed.

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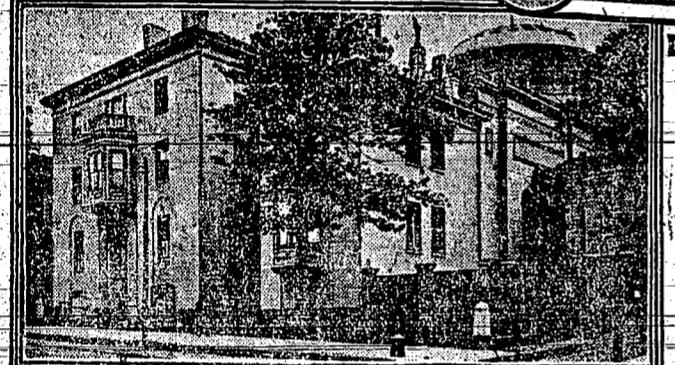
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THE CARDINAL'S RESIDENCE AT BALTIMORE, MD.

REPARATIONS are actively in progress for a celebration that will rank as one of the most interesting events in the history of the Catholic church in America. The forthcoming event is a jubilee observance in honor of Cardinal Gibbons, the head of the church in America. What is more, it is to be a double jubilee, something that is most unusual if not indeed unique. The date of this significant anniversary is June 30, which is the golden jubilee of Cardinal Gibbons' ordination to the priesthood and the silver jubilee of his elevation to the position of Cardinal.

However, the observances of this significant event will by no means be confined to the final day of June. On the contrary there will be commemorative events of one kind or another that will occur at intervals for a period of several weeks. The present plan is

to have the chief events of June 30 take the form of a service in the Cathedral of the Cardinal's home city of Baltimore, to which church dignitaries from all over the country will be invited, to be followed by a reception in the neighboring city of Washington which will take the form of a tribute by American officials to the venerable head of the church and will be attended by President Taft and all the highest officials of the nation.

However, it is expected that other cities will also desire to pay tribute to Cardinal Gibbons in connection with this dual anniversary and if he continues to enjoy the good health for which he has been famous for so many years it is probable that he will wish to accept invitations for later dates from churches at more distant points so that it will be strange if the eminent wearer of the red hat is not kept busy for several weeks acknowledging the popular expression of good wishes in one form or another. All this, too, in the face of the fact that the Cardinal rather deprecates the plans which have been in the making for sometime past to take due cognizance of the double jubilee. When, soon after the first of the year, prominent clergy and laymen began to lay plans for commemorative exercises the cardinal expressed the hope that there would be as little display as possible.

Finally there will be ceremonies connected with the laying of the corner stone and later the dedication of what is to constitute the permanent tribute to Cardinal Gibbons. In connection with the jubilee—namely, a Cardinal Gibbons Memorial Hall to be erected on the grounds of the Catholic University of America in the District of Columbia. It is planned to erect a monumental structure that will cost at least \$100,000 and will be notable architecturally as well as serving a useful purpose at the great seat of learning which has become the center of Catholic activities on this continent. The funds for the erection of this commemorative building are being raised by a nation-wide public subscription and thousands of dollars have already been pledged. The great interest which Cardinal Gibbons has always manifested in the university makes it particularly fitting that the enduring testimonial to his career should take the form of an addition to this seat of learning.

The double jubilee in June, the first event of the kind ever celebrated in this country will be followed in July, on July 25, to be exact, by another significant anniversary. This second momentous occasion of the summer will be the Cardinal's attainment of the seventy-seventh milestone in a very active life. It is but little less significant than the other event if for no other reason than the remarkable vigor and vitality constantly manifested by the eminent churchman. Indeed, no person meeting him casually and unaware of his identity would suspect that he has attained so advanced an age. Furthermore it would be difficult to find a better example of the benefits of a simple and systematic mode of life.

Many persons not familiar with his early career have the impression that Cardinal Gibbons is a son of Erin. On the contrary, he was born in Baltimore—that is the diocese of which he is now archbishop. In addition to holding the position of primate of the Catholic church in the United States. To be sure he was of Irish parentage and during his boyhood his father took him to Ireland where he received the groundings of a liberal education. He was but a youth when he returned to

this country and entered St. Charles College in Maryland from which he graduated with honors at the age of twenty-three. He then entered St. Mary's Seminary in Baltimore and after the usual course

in philosophy and theology was ordained a priest on June 30, 1861, the anniversary of which event is commemorated by the double jubilee now in prospect.

The early work of the churchman was in Baltimore with which city his church services have been so conspicuously identified all through his long career. Later, however, after serving as

private secretary to the late Archbishop Spalding

he was consecrated bishop of North Carolina and remained in that state four years. Then followed five years of service with similar responsibilities in the state of Virginia. In May, 1877, he was appointed coadjutor with the right of succession to the archbishop of Baltimore and in less than a year he was formally installed archbishop.

He was one of the American prelates to visit Rome in 1880 to attend the work of the third plenary council and his marked ability in this connection was at once noted by Pope Leo XIII, who forthwith appointed him to preside over the plenary council. During the meeting of the council the American archbishop further won the approbation of the pope who, to show his appreciation, nominated him for cardinal. The signal honor the acquisition of which forms the second object of the commemorative program now planned.

It seems peculiarly appropriate that the permanent memorial to Cardinal Gibbons in connection with his jubilee should take the form of a hall at the Catholic university for if there is one project for which this prince of the church has ever been a champion and an earnest worker it is this self-same center of higher education under Catholic auspices. It will be remembered that

Cardinal Gibbons laid the cornerstone of the university and officiated at the formal opening of

the institution, whereas the activities of his long

service as chancellor of the university are fresh

in the minds of all who keep in touch with educational progress.

As has been hinted above the personal habits of the cardinal are of the simplest character. He is even active and a subscriber to the theory that change of occupation is the "ideal rest." Cardinal Gibbons has long been known as an early riser, getting up as early as 5:30 in summer and seldom later than 6 o'clock even in winter. He usually says mass at 7 o'clock this being the custom no matter whether he is in the cathedral in Baltimore, or at a modest summer retreat in the country, or at some quiet seaside resort. After mass comes breakfast and then an interval is devoted to reading the newspapers, for the cardinal keeps closely in touch with all current events, not forgetting a decidedly keen interest in what is transpiring in the baseball field.

The main portion of the morning is apportioned between replying to correspondence, receiving visitors and literary work. For the latter the cardinal can find all-too-little leisure, but he has already attained high rank as a contributor to the literature of the church, his book "The Faith of Our Fathers" being regarded by eminent scholars

and divines of every creed as a masterpiece of logic and literary expression. The cardinal's correspondence is, of course, very heavy, sometimes amounting to hundreds of letters a day and his visitors are likewise numerous. The ecclesiastical business for which he is a court of last resort is in itself sufficient to throw with bidders the modest reception rooms of the cardinal's residence adjoining the cathedral in Baltimore but there are also great numbers of secular callers with a variety of missions. Catholic callers when received by the cardinal bend the knee and kiss the large amethyst ring which the cardinal wears in recognition of the spiritual authority vested in him.

Unless he is to attend a formal dinner of some kind in the evening the cardinal usually has the principal meal of the day shortly after noon and then lies down for a brief siesta, particularly if he has had an unusually strenuous morning. Later in the afternoon there is another attack upon the accumulated correspondence and literary work and more than likely a number of visitors will call by appointment. Whatever be the demands upon his time, however, the cardinal endeavors to reserve an hour or more in the late afternoon for his constitutional—the walk which is a Roman custom, followed by nearly all ecclesiastics, being taken in company with some friend or priest. When opportunity offers the cardinal also indulges in a short walk in the early morning but frequently he has to forego this. Except under unusual circumstances the cardinal retires at or before 10 o'clock and in his early-to-bed rule is found one of the secrets of his endurance, for the eminent churchman though he has never been able to boast what might be termed a robust constitution is wiry and capable of an immense amount of work.

The cardinal's duties necessitate considerable travel and he stands this fatiguing work remarkably well considering his age. The month of

June preceding the events in observance of his double jubilee is likely to be an especially lively one—for this energetic member of the college of cardinals for this year as usual he has been deluged with invitations to speak at commencement.

Cardinal Gibbons has few hobbies. He is fond of reading and enjoys the possession of a splendid library embracing many rare volumes

and he is likewise fond of angling. Naturally a light eater at all times the cardinal is not tempted by delicacies that defy digestion.

REASONABLE LOGIC:

Say, mamma, where do the cows get their milk? asked little Jessie very seriously, looking up from the foaming pan of milk she had been

intently regarding.

"Well, dearie, where do you get your tears?"

was the mother's questioning answer. After Jessie had spent several moments of very thoughtful silence, she again broke out:

"Oh, mamma, do the cows have to be spanked?"

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we know, had been able to sustain themselves successfully against both Babylon and Egypt previous to this conquest. Here was a man who took a slave people with slaves ideals, and no armament or organization, and built them into a nation and made them a most effective and powerful fighting machine."

Her Accomplishment.

"Is she a good cook?"

"No. She can't cook at all, but she can order the sweetest kind of meals from cafe menu cards."

GEN. DIAZ GIVES PLEDGE TO RESIGN

COMMANDER OF REBELS HAD PLANNED AN ASSAULT ON MEXICO CITY WITH AN ARMY OF 20,000 MEN.

PRESIDENT DIAZ YIELDS AS MADERO ORDERS MARCH ON CAPITAL.

New Developments Give Satisfaction In Washington But It Is Realized That Some Serious Complications Are Created.

Gen. Porfirio Diaz issued a manifesto to the people of Mexico declaring his intention to resign the presidency as soon as peace is restored. In this manner the president has virtually acceded to the demands of Francisco I. Madero that he make an announcement of such intention.

As to when peace is actually restored, General Diaz reserves the right to be the judge. In the words of the manifesto, it will be "when, according to the dictates of my conscience, I am sure that my resignation will not be followed by anarchy."

The president declared that his determination not to relinquish the presidency at this time was not due to vanity or love of power, because he had lost out power at this time had no attractive accompanied as it is by tremendous responsibilities and worry. He said he was prompted solely by a desire to conserve the best interests of his country.

The president made it clear that he does not propose to abandon the presidency while his country is at war and that he would not do so at any time under compulsion.

At the same time he made mention of a new election. According to the constitution designation is equivalent to political appointment to the vice-presidency in the succession. The vice-president would assume the executive chair, and he in turn would be followed by the president of the Senate.

In this case the vice-president is seriously sick and is in Europe on an eight months' leave of absence and it is not known when he should return. Should Vice-President Corral not be back in the country at the time the president leaves his post, the new president would be the vice-president in the choice of the vice-president for the vice-presidency on the day after the election.

The document is clear, simple and concise and shows the utmost straightforwardness. It is bound to produce a great impression in this country. In the United States and in Europe all the world will now know where the responsibility for the future of the country lies.

General Madero announced that he would accept another administration if the new president might be restored.

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It naturally is very glad to hear that President Diaz has made this announcement," said Gen. Madero to an Associated Press representative.

"I am going to send a telegram to him at once congratulating him on his victory," said Madero.

It was an act that required the highest kind of personal sacrifice and patriotism.

McNamara Will Plead June 1.

On charges of homicide and dynamiting Oct. 1, 1910, when 21 men were killed, John J. and James P. McNamara were arraigned formally in court in Los Angeles. With hands manacled, they were brought in by Sheriff Hammer and three deputies.

"Considering the importance of the case and the distance which is may be necessary to bring witnesses," Attorney Rappaport, for the defense, said, "I would like to have 30 days before the pleas are entered."

"If you are allowed an unusual time to enter the pleas," said Prosecutor Fredericks, "will you waive the provision of the statute which declares that the men must be tried within 60 days after they are arraigned?"

Rappaport signified his willingness and the district attorney said he would consent that the pleas be made on June 1.

Orlie McMains was not arraigned. He will not appear in court until the trial of the McNamara brothers.

At mass meetings in several churches of Bay City the Northeastern Michigan Laymen's convention adopted the policy of the national organization, which seeks to quadruplicate in three years the offerings of American Protestant churches for foreign missions.

By 11 to 10 the Massachusetts state senate refused to ratify the proposed amendment to the federal constitution providing for an income tax. The measure recently passed the house by an overwhelming vote.

To assist women astronomers, a \$25,000 fellowship for the observatory at Nantucket Island is announced. An income of \$1,000 a year is given to the observatory at Nantucket Island.

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The Lesser Evil.

Gresham College in 1719 was the scene of a famous gory comic duel between two celebrated doctors, Doctor Mead and Doctor Woodward, both of whom were lecturers at the college. While walking down Bishopsgate street one morning they quarreled over some medical question and advanced to the square of the college to fight it out with swords. Woodward fell, wounded in several places, whereupon Mead magnanimously said, "Take thy life." "Anything but your physic," hissed back the chagrined Woodward as he swooned away. London Chronicle.

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Home Circle Department

A column dedicated to Tired Mothers as they fall into the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen—Pleasant Evening Reveries.

The crowning grace of home is cheerfulness.

Let me be your servant and not your master.

Look on the funny side of your annoyances.

The spirit of order must reign in a house before the children can acquire it.

The best way to get along in this world is to take things easy. If you are disappointed, laugh it off and resolve to enjoy yourself in spite of an occasional streak of hard luck. Hard luck soon tires of pursuing a jolly disposition.

STREET IMPRESSION.

The street impresses us with the fact that life is full of pretensions and sham. What subtleties, what double dealing, what two-facedness! Do all people who wish you good morning really hope you a happy day? Do all the people who shake hands love each other? Are all those anxious about your health who inquire concerning it? Do all want to see you who ask you to call? Does all the world know half as much as it pretends to know? Is there not many a wretched stock of goods with a brilliant show window? Passing up and down these streets to your business and your work, are you not impressed with the fact that much of society is hollow and that there are subterfuges and pretensions? Oh! how many there are who swagger and strut, and how few people who are natural and walk. While sops, simper, and fools chafe, and simpletons giggle; how few people are natural and laugh. The courtesan and the libertine go down the street in beautiful apparel, while with the heart there are volleys of passion consuming their life away.

BEST WAY.

The speediest and easiest way to benefit mankind would be for every person to reform their own life, regardless of what others are doing. Such a policy would bring about a change for the better in both public and private affairs, and so after the relationship of mankind that everyone would truly mind his own business. Meddlesome persons who are continually prying into other people's affairs and carrying tales between friends and acquaintances create a great deal of mischief, are best contented when they are spread scandal. It seems more natural for them to speak ill of a person than to utter words of praise, and their habit of gossiping becomes so fixed that they can talk scandal almost unconsciously. It is just as easy to say good words for friends and acquaintances, even if not wholly deserved; and the effect on the community is beneficial in a general way. Scandal gathers strength as it travels by word of mouth and can never be recalled when once in circulation. Try speaking well of everyone and see what a change it will make in your own happiness as well as in the welfare of others.

APPEARANCE AT HOME.

Don't say that it doesn't matter how you look around the house, for it does matter a good deal. It matters in its representative; it matters in its establishment, of which the feminine head is the creditable or questionable representative; it matters in its example to the children and to the help, to the husband and father, who usually, if he is half a man, feels a sense of pride in the appearance of his family.

It is poor encouragement to him to find confusion and carelessness in dress and waste and destruction running about the dwelling. It is one of the important duties of every woman to keep herself and her house in a condition as presentable as possible, considering her circumstances.

TEACH THE BOYS.

A well-known man, the monument of whose exceptional ability as a manager in the great dry goods establishment of which he is the head, contended that a discussion of the subject from his standpoint would serve no good end, since every merchant was an individual, and for every individual there would have to be a different prescription, adapted to personal temperament, mental capacity. What would be good for one might be poison for another.

He suggested that the way to make good business men, who would know how to acquire a surplus to dispose of, whether or not to invest in stocks, how much money to keep on hand and how to guard against stringency in

the money market, was to give more attention to the morals of the boys who were starting in business. He wished that they could be shown to them how they were wasting their opportunities, how they were squandering their manly spirit, how they are wrecking their chances for future prosperity when they indulge in games of chance, pool playing, gambling, and other vicious practices that rob them of their night's rest and fill their minds in the day-time to the exclusion of the business with which they are intrusted. Successful business men, he insisted, could, in the majority of instances, take care of their finances fairly well, day to time to the exclusion of the business men that needs to be cultivated with greater care.

Whoever keeps company with a wolf will soon learn to howl.

MEN:

For tender face and neck after shaving, for pimples, black heads, dandruff or any skin or scalp disease use ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP.

ZEMO is guaranteed to relieve all soreness and itching; the soap is part of the treatment—best for all toilet purposes.

Sold by druggists everywhere and in Grayling by A. M. Lewis & Co.

Northeastern Michigan Dev.

Development Bureau Notes.

In Beaver Creek Township, Crawford Co., an unique and altogether practical method of helping the new settler get some land cleared has come to light.

The task of clearing new land is by no means the easiest and most enter-

prising proposition on earth, and the new settler removed from friends and conditions to which years association had made him familiar, working alone in a field from which the logs and brush have to be removed, the land stumped and snagged, is liable to ex-

perience the pangs of homesickness and, when feeling little blue, to say,

“what's the use” pack his goods and leave the country, placing another black mark against the land-man for

selling land to a man without first in-

vestigating his past life to find out

whether he would make good as a far-

mer. Much more lonely is likely to be the lot of the woman, coming strange into a new community. The women are not as free to mix as the men, conse-

quently, if care is not taken the new settler is liable to find, just as he is getting the best of the natural ob-

stacles on his new farm that he has a lonesome and discontented wife on

his hands longing for human compa-

nionship and whose mind is reverting

to her old neighbors and acquaintances.

This one cause has left many a new farm deserted.

However, in Beaver Creek a young

people's association was formed for

the purpose of amusement and educa-

tion during the winter months of 1909-10. As summer came on and the busy

time approached, it seemed as if the

regular Friday meetings would have

to be discontinued until someone

made the proposition that they got to-

gether every Friday the same as usual, but that each man bring his

leisure and tools and something to eat

and that they clear land.

The idea worked famously and dur-

ing the summer of 1910 they met at 17

acres of land, averaging 5 acres per farm.

Twenty-five men, with 5 or 6 teams

of horses, appearing at a new settler's

place on a Friday morning, each

bringing his own lunch so as not to

make an burden on the woman of the

house, would seem to him a most

cheering sight. He, of course, would

have to return the compliment, but

think of the lonely hours avoided.

In the merry, boisterous, jostling crowd,

the competitive spirit is seen to show

and there is more work done, and done

amid a good deal of lively fun.

And the women came, too, and helped the other women at the house.

They talked, sewed, quilted, laughed

and sang, putting a bright spot in

what is liable to become a rather mor-

notorious life.

George A. Bellmore, of Wellington,

Mich., was at the head of the associa-

tion and can give ideas as to the de-

tail of working out such a scheme.

It would be a good thing if these kind

of associations were prevalent in the

newer settlements of Northeastern

Michigan.

Good Training.

The punctual girl is always a thoughtful girl. She is the girl who does not delay in doing an errand, who never keeps the breakfast waiting while she repairs some forgotten damage to her clothes. No one is ever kept waiting while she sews a rip in her dress or a break in her glove. These things are all done in season. She never puts off doing a thing at the right time, because she has learned that when a thing has been attended to, and put away there is no need to worry about that particular thing.

She is the girl who is at her desk on time if she is one of the great army of working girls. Her employer and friends all know that she will be ready for business or pleasure at the appointed time.

This girl's nerves are in good order, because she never has to hurry or worry to catch up some work that has been neglected at the proper time, and her life runs on smoothly and happily because no indecision or neglected appointment is worrying her, or making her restless. Character is not formed in a minute. This girl has been training herself for

years to be punctual. She is ever ready for emergencies, for this habit of punctuality now touches her life in all its relations, and she is making her influence felt in her own family, at least, for they must come to see the wonderful advantage of being always ready, always on time. The punctual girl, while she is earnest and womanly, has not lost any of her girlish charm. Her outlook is encouraging; new chances are constantly opening for her advancement because it is known that she can be relied upon.

Trade Relations With Our Canadian Cousins.

Certain interests in this country have aroused the farmers in many localities, particularly the border states, against the proposed Canadian pact, the object of which is to lower the tariff charges on many commodities exchanged between the two countries. It should be borne in mind that a tariff between this country and Canada can in no way bear comparison with that with foreign countries where all the conditions are different and where cheap labor obtains.

There is relatively no difference between this country and Canada as affecting prices of commodities, cost of living, wages, etc. Bay City men who are lumbering extensively in Canada state the cost of labor and supplies in Canada is as great if not greater than on this side. It is so in other things.

Both Canada and the United States have maintained tariff laws, yet in the face of these tariffs a large trade has grown up between us and Canada.

In five years ending June 30, in goods of all kind, we sold to Canada, \$886,417.37; Canada sold us, \$303,013.67. Difference in our favor, \$592,303.70. Government statistics show that for five years ending June 30:

Horses: We sold in Canada, \$14,

182,075; Canada sold to us, \$2,419,201.

Difference in our favor: \$1,936,828.

Cattle: We sold in Canada, \$1,578,

179; Canada sold to us, \$1,193,796.

Difference in our favor: \$884,613.

Meat and dairy: We sold in Canada, \$17,011,017; Canada sold to us, \$6,004,191. Difference in our favor: \$11,006,826.

Breadstuffs: We sold to Canada, \$31,596,556; Canada sold to us, \$6,679,884. Difference in our favor: \$24,916,672.

Chrysanthemum Marvels.

The great autumn shows of chrysanthemums at Danzigata, near Tokyo, offer many wonders to their crowds of visitors.

You will see the flowers in long ranks, each plant a blossom of the next beside it, with exactly the same number of blossoms on each. And not merely that; the top bloom will be fully opened, and so make one of a perfectly level line of fully opened blossoms; the next will be nearly opened, and again one of a similar row; the flowers of the third row are open to a less degree; and so they decrease to the feet of the plants, where

a row of close green buds extends so

that the whole long rank presents a constantly repeated scale of all the beauties of the opening flower from bud to fullest bloom. And the marvel does not stop even here, for not only the blossoms but the leaves are

matched in number and situation. At other places instead of straight lines, the plants are disposed in fashion or in the shape of an umbrella.

More Widows Than Widowers.

The proportion of remarriages shows an almost continuous decrease, says the registrar-general in his report on the births, deaths and mar-

riages in England and Wales during

1909.

The number of widows, he states, is

always much greater than that of

widowers, because in the first place

men marry later in life than women

secondly, because the duration of

male life is shorter than that of fe-

male life; and thirdly, because the

proportion of widows who remarry is

much lower than the proportion of

widowers who remarry.

Marriages of persons described as

divorced have steadily increased and

in the year 1900 were the highest on record.

DAN.

Farmers Buying Autos.

The number of automobiles owned by farmers is growing rapidly. Out of 10,000 autos in Iowa, 5,000 are owned by farmers. Kansas farmers spent \$3,100,000 for automobiles during 1909, and \$2,750,000 in 1910. In one Nebraska town of 800 population, 40 autos were sold last year to farmers near the town and retired farmers in the town. Careful estimate of the number of automobiles owned by farmers in the entire United States is 76,000.

Prized Japanese Swords.

Though sword manufacture has ceased to be in Japan today outside of the government arsenals which turn out only the accepted military blade of the modern army, the country is filled with prized relics of the past art, and these are relics which the Japanese will not sell. A possessor of one of the old swords, keen and blue white in lustre as the day it was forged, would sell his house, even himself, maybe, before he would part with his iron Bible of Bushido for money.

SOME GOOD TH

Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, MAY 11
Local and Neighborhood News.

Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in ADVANCE. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want our money.

All advertisements, communications, correspondence, etc., must reach us by Tuesday forenoon, and can not be considered later.

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Horses bought and sold at Langevin's Livery Barn.

Sweet cream at Brink's Grocery.

Calf on George Langevin for dry wood, to be promptly delivered.

All the sweet cream you want at Brink's grocery.

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FOR SALE—One sideboard, parlor suite, chairs, piano, tables, fruit jars, lamps and lawn swing.

Two houses for sale, for particulars inquire of Mrs. H. Joseph, at her residence.

FOR SALE—Good household furniture and kitchen utensils. Call on Mr. Booson, Grayling, Mich.

The 22nd annual meeting of the Michigan Christian Endeavor Union will be held at Detroit June 22-25th.

FOR SALE—Four houses in the village of Grayling, for particulars see or address T. BULSZN.—mark.

FOR SALE—An elegant invalid wheelchair. Enquire of Miss Edith Ballard.

FOR SALE—Three desirable lots in Roffe's addition to village of Grayling, for prices etc., inquire of Mrs. J. B. Woodburn.

Charles M. Brown and Lena M. Sayers, of Waters, were united in marriage by Rev. John J. Riess on Wednesday, May 3.

FOR SALE—A good dwelling house and three lots on block 28 Roffe's add Village of Grayling. \$2,000. Wright Havens.

Gentlemen when you get ready for new suit, call in and see Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop over collar's Restaurant, A. H. Hendrickson.

Block headache results from a disordered condition of the stomach, and can be cured by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Try it. For safety by all dealers.

The Young Ladies Society will serve Ice Cream and Cake in the G. A. R. Hall tomorrow at 7:00 p. m. Bill, 10 cents.

J. M. Howell, a popular druggist of Greensburg, Ky., says, "We use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our own household and know it is excellent." For sale by all dealers.

All members of the W. R. C. are requested to be present at the next regular meeting Saturday, May 13, to complete arrangements for Decoration Day.

FOR SALE—A good six room house and four lots in a good location and good repair, for \$800.00, a good deal less than the house would cost today, call on or address E. H. WAINWRIGHT.

The friends of Mrs. Loretta McElroy will be pleased to know that her application for pension has been allowed at \$12 per month.

We have arranged with The Weekly Inter Ocean and Farmer so that our patrons can secure that sterling paper together with our own, at the exceedingly low price of \$1.75, for one year. This is a rare opportunity and should be taken advantage of.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment wonderfully effective. One application will convince you of its merits. Try it. For sale by all dealers.

Fay W. Billot, of Hillsdale, is in town this week, or rather in the county. He has been the proprietor of a fine flouring and feed mill in that city for 20 years or more. Just such a mill, and just such a as we need. He owns some good land in Beaver Creek, and as his health is not perfect in the South part of the state, we are trying to convince him that this is the ideal spot to regain perfect health, and by bringing his business with him, could be at once perfectly at home.

FOR SALE—A full line of buggies and harness, for sale, at my livery barn. A few second hand rigs, and anything you want, new, from the factory. Call and if you do not find what you want in stock, find it in the catalogue, Geo. Langevin, Jan 26.

For soreness of the muscles whether induced by violent exercise or injury, Chamberlain's Liniment is excellent. This liniment is also highly esteemed for the relief it affords in cases of rheumatism. Sold by all dealers.

Is there anything in all this world that is of more importance to you than good health? You cannot afford to let your health and mind go blind, and congested into a dead body. Our Chamberlain's Tablets are a rational and reliable cure for indigestion. They increase the flow of bile, purify the blood, strengthen the stomach, and tone up the whole digestive apparatus to a natural and healthy action. For sale by all dealers.

A. C. Olson of Elm, contractor and builder, has begun the work of rebuilding the store of J. W. Sorenson. We are glad to learn that he has decided to make Grayling his home.

Charron Bros. of Maple Forest have added to their machinery, a bear thresher, and will be ready for the entire crops of the County. Make your dates early. Address at Frederic, Mich.

A. C. Olson has placed an electric illuminated sign at the corner of the drug store, and Olaf Sorenson and Sons in front of their restaurant, which are metropolitan for a small city.

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LOST—A silk umbrella in the post office, with gold mounted handle and initials J. H. T. carved upon the same. Finder will confer a great favor, and will be liberally rewarded upon leaving it at the Post Office or Printing Office, J. H. Fleming.

Highway Commissioner Peck has the grading west from the M. C. R. R. toward Portage Lake well under way, and will be spreading gravel from this end, this week. He is cutting off a number of corners, to straighten the track and give a better view ahead for autos and carriages.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Forbes said "Good-Bye" to our Village at 11 o'clock, Saturday, for their new home in Indiana. They will visit a few days at Bay City and Flint on the way. Both bear with them the good wishes of our community.

Charles Douglas will start for a new home in Cincinnati, Ohio this week to be followed by the family after the close of the school year. We could select several families in the county whom we would rather spare, but will send with them our best wishes for future prosperity.

Michigan leads all other states in the manufacture of automobiles. In fact, Michigan made more than half of all the automobiles of this country in 1909. There were 127,289 machines produced in the United States that year of Michigan produced 64,921.

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First Communion and Confirmation will take place at St. Mary's Catholic Church on Tuesday, May 16, at 8 a. m. About 80 children and converts will be confirmed. This is the largest class that has been confirmed here in this church for many years. All are invited to attend this ceremony.

We heard one of our citizens in conversation with a pastor of one of the Village churches Tuesday morning, and one of them claimed he "could hear the leaves crackling on the trees, after the leaves had fallen."

folded so rapidly, we doubted the assertion, and do not believe it was the preacher's voice.

Editor Peterson of the Roscommon News, made us a fraternal call Friday evening. He, with the other citizens of that Village are elated by the success of their H. S. in defeating the H. S. team here by one score last week. Our fellows did not want to be pride and crush them on their first visit for the season.

August General Fuller has estimated that the apportionment of primary money this month will be \$7 per capita, the highest rate that has been distributed for many years. Unnecessary economy to the detriment of the efficiency of our public schools seems uncalculated for this year.

I have bought the entire grocery stock of Silas H. H. with all store accounts due to him, which are to be paid to me. New stock has been put in, and I am prepared to meet all calls. Come and see me at the grocery store on the south side of the river. Feb 23. WALMER JORGENSEN.

Trout fishing season opened Monday and does not close until Sept. 1. Landlocked minnow, grayling, speckled, California Look, Lever, and steel head trout over seven inches can be taken during the season. The open season for bass is from June 15 to Feb. 1, and any over ten inches, hinged to try in a catch, can be taken. Strawberry, white and yellow bass over seven inches are limited to 20.

The dedication of the new hospital will take place on Tuesday, May 16, at 10 a. m. The Sisters of Mercy extend a most cordial invitation to all to attend this ceremony. Every one is invited and all should bring their friends. Any one wishing to donate to the hospital on this date, may leave their donation with the good Sisters.

E. P. Swanson, of Hudson, was in town last week, inquiring concerning the business prospects in this county, in the line of real estate. He had been looking over some lands in Beaver Creek, and seems to believe, as we do, in the future prosperity of this section. Coming from our boyhood home town, we were glad of his visit, and the talk of old friends.

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Cards have been received by the city announcing the birth of twin daughters Sunday, April 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Axel Becker of Johannesburg, Mich. Mrs. Becker was formerly Miss Eva Woodburn, a popular belle of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Becker now have four children, Ruth, aged six, and Alton, aged four, being the other two. Congratulations are extended.

The Citizens' Band gave their first open air concert from the stand on the Court House square, last Friday evening, and though the atmosphere was slightly chilled, they were welcomed by several hundred of our citizens, and the band played on "that

they, they adjourned to the opera house for their annual hop, and had a full house, and one of the most pleasant parties ever. As the AVALANCHE has before said: We have the "best band" in the best and "only" town on the map."

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The laying of the Corner-stone will take place in the afternoon at 3 p. m. on the same day, to which ceremony the public is also invited. The President of the Village and other prominent speakers, as Rev. Bishop Schreiber, and prominent docto's of the state will speak at this ceremony.

Tuesday, May 16, therefore, will be the formal opening of Grayling Mercy Hospital.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, May 14, 1911. Mid week prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m.—Subject—Our Mothers. A Mother's Day Reflection.

Sabbath School at 11:45 a. m. A. B. Failing, Supt.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Subject—The Duty of Making Pledges.

Preaching service 7:00 p. m. Mother's Day will be observed in the Presbyterian Church next Sabbath. A white carnation is the badge of that day, worn in honor of Motherhood.

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

J. HUMPHREY FLEMING, Pastor.

F. H. MILKS Prop't.

FOR RESORT TRADE.

Peoples Market

160 acres, unimproved. Three miles from Grayling. \$300.00 worth of merchantable timber.

40 acres, all fenced. 8 acres cultivated. One mile from Village.

40 acres, 6 miles north of Grayling. Maple, Pine and Hemlock land, adjoining Ward's Orchard. Merchantable timber cut. \$400.00.

A good program and special music. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Non-Church goers are especially invited.

JAMES LEWIS, Factor.

SAVED CHILD FROM DEATH.

"After our child had suffered from severe bronchial trouble for a year, we G. T. Richardson of Birmingham, Mich. Also, I feared it had consumption. It had a bad cough all the time. We tried many remedies without avail, and doctor's medicine seemed as useless. Finally we tried Dr. King's New Discovery, and are pleased to say that one bottle effected a complete cure, and our child is again strong and healthy."

coughs, colds, hoarseness, laryngitis, asthma, croup, & bronchitis. It's the most wonderful remedy that's made.

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY. One bottle.

Guaranteed by A. M. Lewis & Co.

Card of Thanks.

To our many personal friends and to all the citizens of Grayling, and especially to the surgeons, Insey and Keyport, and the Sisters and nurses at the hospital for untiring care and sympathy during the terrible suffering of our loved one. We return sincere thanks.

MRS. ANNA HANSON.
ALFRED HANSON.

A Burglar's Awful Obed.

may not paralyze a home so completely as a mother's long illness. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a splendid remedy for women. "They gave me wonderful benefit in constipation and female trouble," wrote Mrs. M. C. Dunlap, of Leadill, Tenn. If, along, try them. 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

Ceresota Flour!

Same as always, The Best.

Buckley Creamery Butter

Fresh every week from the Buckley Dairy

Farm, Buckley, Mich.

Everything Fresh in Staple and Fancy Groceries at

BRINK'S GROCERY

AROUND THE CORNER.

FRESH SALT AND SMOKED Meats

Cured Thousands of Rheumatism

There is nothing certain in the treatment of rheumatism there is nothing guaranteed to cure.

NYAL'S Rheumatic Remedy

Comes the nearest to any remedy of receiving a guarantee

It is more prompt and certain in its action than anything else we have ever sold.

It assists the kidneys in cleansing the blood of impurities—stimulates the kidneys, bladder and liver to renewed activity, and rids the system of uric acid, the chief cause of rheumatism.

Relief in the shortest time possible—a decided difference after the first bottle.

This is not an experiment—Nyals' Rheumatic Remedy has been proving its merit for years.

One Dollar for a large sized bottle.

Whatever a good drug store ought to have—and many things that other drug stores don't keep—you'll find here. Come to us first and you'll get what you want.

Central Drug Store

SPRING IS HERE and with it my Spring Stock

of Jewelry.

You will find the latest and best jewelry on display, many pretty things that will appeal to you.

My stock is complete with new things in every line, which will make it easy for you to select a dainty present for the birthday gift or otherwise.

I want you to feel free to call and inspect my stock.

I am at your service.

C. J. Kishaway JEWELER & OPTOMETRIST GRAYLING, MI.

Two finely situated building lots on Ogemaw St.

\$250.00.

House, barn and four lots in the east part of the Village. Buildings worth more.

\$650.00.

Buy the New Royal Sewing Machine

Equal to any made.

For Sale and fully warranted by O. Palmer.

Their Pleasant Summer

"Where," asked the caller, in conventionally polite tones and with lukewarm interest, "are you going for the summer?"

"The effect on her hostess was electrical. She sat bolt upright, dropped the teapot with a bang and echoed: "Going! We're not going—we're staying!"

"My goodness!" gasped the caller. "Excuse me for mentioning it if it's a tender subject!"

"It's not tender," said her hostess, energetically. "It's worse—it's an impossible subject. We went away last summer, and that's the reason The Tunnells announced that they were going to Europe and said that if we'd occupy their big place across the lake for the season, and see that the servants didn't fight and that the cows didn't eat up the garden, we'd make them our debtors for life."

"We stored our furniture when the lease expired in May and rushed headlong to our doom. We thought it was a paradise on earth toward which we were flying, and maybe it would have been if the cook and the maid and the man of all work at the place hadn't decided that since their real family was gone, this would be a nice time to run home to the old country for a visit. And they went, two days after we came. They looked us over in a cold and critical way and disapproved of us and departed."

"We got lots of exercise before we found help. Tom used to rise at four and weed the garden and I got up at the same time to feed the chickens, turn on the automatic pump, get breakfast and superintend Tom's milking. He was kicked through the barn door only twice and we considered that the record was pretty good for a greenhorn. He had some minor mishaps, like poking back all the beans when they came up, pushing the seed ahead of them and training the potato vines up on strings instead of the peas, but trouble didn't really start until later."

"One day we were sitting in the flower garden having lunch, and I told Dotty, aged four, to go indoors for something. We watched her disappear into the house and then Tom said, 'Could anything be more peaceful or inspiring than this perfect day?' And I responded in similar blank verse. Just then the neighbor whose cottage was on the lake shore came tearing around the corner of our house."

"She stared at us as though we annoyed her. 'Aren't you folks in bathing?' she inquired. 'Well, somebody is out in front, and I thought—'

"Tom and I did a foot race to the water unconscious and black in the lake and he fished Dotty out of the face. That child had marched in the back door of the house and as promptly marched out through the front door and proceeded to take a paddle by herself in the lake, inspired by some unaccountable juvenile impulse."

"Dotty came out of her trance in two hours, but during that time I got ten gray hairs and Tom's nervous system was permanently shattered."

"It was a couple of weeks later that Dotty and Tom, Jr., remarked that their throats were sore and the doctor pronounced it black diphtheria. He inquired something about defective drains. There was a blur of trained nurses and horrors for a time and then the smoke of battle cleared away. 'Meanwhile the cows had eaten that part of the garden that had not dried up for lack of attention and the chickens were laying eggs all over the country. The Tunnells never did get them back.'

"They'd send us postcards from Europe saying 'We saw this today. Hope you are enjoying life at the dear old home.' This while I was burning fumigating candles. Or 'We came down this river today. How you must be enjoying the garrison green things.' That same day the cows ate the last of the green corn we had expected to use ourselves."

"A little while later Tom dropped a patron on his toe and blood poisoning set in. Then the Tunnells sent a lovely card, saying: 'We can just imagine you doing the five-mile walk through Elm lane and the woods. We saw you.' This was while we were changing the bandages of his smashed and painful foot six times a day."

"The worst of all was that the family sent Tom's pretty and harum-scarum sister Nell to us so that she'd forget the ineligible man she was trying to get engaged to. I produced all the young men at the hotel and several village lights to distract her, and so perfectly did I succeed that she eloped with a college boy who was running a launch to pay his summer expenses. As the family was saving up a millionaire for Nell when she should have come to her senses we still feel hard toward me, and say I should have had more sense."

"When we came back to town in the fall all the good flats were taken and the motto had got into our rug, and I had lost fifteen pounds and all my color, and Tom was a dyspeptic old grouch. It's taken a winter to get Dotty and Tom, Jr., civilized again, and on the whole we've concluded that the family will be better off if it leaves itself the strain of a summer vacation. We're going to stick right here."

"It does sound safety," admitted the

INVASION OF DETROIT

Michigan Endeavorers Will Have Great Convention.

PROMINENT MEN WILL ATTEND

Many Planning to Go to Detroit and Atlantic City Conventions During Summer Vacations—State Convention Promises to Be of Unusual Interest.

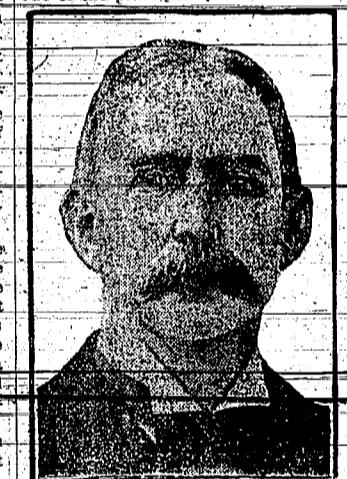
IMPORTANT DATES.

State Convention—Detroit, June 22-25; International Convention—Atlantic City, July 6-12.

About 3,500 young people throughout Michigan are making preparations to attend the Twenty-second Annual Michigan Christian Endeavor Convention, which will be held in Detroit, June 22-25. This convention will be one of the most helpful and enjoyable gatherings ever held by Michigan Endeavorers. While in past years these conventions have been almost exclusively for Endeavor societies, this year all limitations have been cast aside, and practically every Christian Young People's organization of note will participate. This assures an attendance larger than at any state convention yet attempted.

The motto of the convention is "Forward," and neither time nor money is being spared to make this a real for ward step in young people's work. Not only will this be the largest gathering of young people's organizations held in the state, but the program will be second to none in the country. At every session will be some of the country's best and most prominent speakers.

Dr. Francis E. Clark, most commonly known among members of Christian Endeavor societies as Father Clark, the founder of the Christian Endeavor movement, will be one of the principal speakers. Father



REV. FRANCIS E. CLARK.

Clark has not visited Michigan Endeavorers in a number of years, but his interest in the local work is as keen as ever. This will be one of the last times that he will attend a state convention here, as he is planning to discontinue attending conventions all over the country, and devote his time to less strenuous work.

Father Clark will go from Detroit to the great International Convention at Atlantic City, N. J., July 6-12. A number of the young people who will attend the Detroit convention are planning to extend their vacation to be able to accompany Dr. Clark to the other convention. A splendid trip is assured all those who will make their way from Detroit to Atlantic City.

Special rates have been secured from all points in Michigan to Detroit, and a special rate of \$23.50 has been arranged for the trip from Detroit to Atlantic City and return, allowing for stopovers at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, the national capital, and New York, with a possible side trip to the historic battlefield of Gettysburg.

Every active young people's society in the state is planning to send a delegation to the Detroit convention, and the Detroit Endeavorers are planning a number of unique features to give their visitors the best possible time while they are in the city. The first of these, an automobile ride around the city, touching all the points of real interest to tourists, is characteristic of the city. Another important feature is a trip on one of the magnificent new steamers along the Detroit River.

What promises to be the most important among the special features is the fact that all registered and qualified delegates will receive free entertainment, (lodging and breakfast) during the convention.

Every member of a Christian Endeavor Society, Epworth League, Baptist Young People's Union, Episcopal

CHURCHES JOIN IN CONVENTION

Problems of Church Unity May Be Solved by Young People.

WILL DISREGARD DIFFERENCES

Greatest Young People's Convention Ever Held in Michigan Will Open Thursday, June 22—Hundreds of Young People From Every Part of State Planning to Attend.

FEATURES OF UNITY.

The Episcopal cathedral will be one of the conventional churches. Dean Marquis of the cathedral will speak twice. Prominent Methodists and Baptists are on the program. The hearty co-operation among all denominations in Detroit fosters spirit of unity.

Never in the history of Young People's conventions in Michigan has there been one quite so unique as the one to be held in Detroit, June 22-25. Besides the many other striking features, the one that commands our attention immediately in this day of "Church Unity" discussion is the extreme, interdenominational basis of the convention. The Detroit convention committee is made up of men and women representing most prominent denominations in young people's work. One of the convention churches is the Episcopal St. Paul's cathedral. The speakers chosen are among the most prominent men of the same communions. All the planks are made with the definite purpose that young people, will attend the convention irrespective of denomination, but with the one determination to do the most good possible.

And why should it not be so? Why should we older people try to repress in our children sectarian differences which, though they were vital to us and our forefathers, have become meaningless today? Why not encourage our young people to be Christians first and then to be Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists or what-not afterwards? The great tasks that challenge the Christian church today demand a spirit of unity hitherto unknown. We who are so far removed from the frontier of Christian conflict are doing well to follow in the footsteps those who out there are so bravely upholding the standard of the Christ. But we are following with very uncertain tread, not realizing that one of the chief secrets of their power is the fact of their unity in the face of a common foe. If the Christian church could only learn the secret of the power of the forces of evil and then act upon that knowledge, there would be a wonderful unifying of forces, and forgetting of differences and best of all—a triumphant victory for the right.

This idea of uniting must come, if it comes at all, through incarnation in the life of the younger generation. As long as the church is intent on perpetuating their party differences through their Westminster League, Luther League, Epworth League, or Baptist Young People's Union, just so long will the cause of real Christianity be retarded in the world. The day is coming, and it is not far distant, when there will be one great young people's society with one name, a branch of which will be in every church in the world. In this way the great ideal of Jesus Christ for His church, "that they may be one," will be approximated not only by the miseries in the thick of the battle, but also by the younger generation the world over.

It is with such an idea in view that the Detroit convention committee is making plans for the coming convention. Every added one who attends will help on toward the glorious realization. Every member of a Christian Young People's society is welcome at the convention and is entitled to free entertainment if he presents delegate's credentials which have been properly signed. These credentials may be purchased from Miss Mary R. Phinney, 107 Collingwood Ave., Detroit.

ENDEAVOR.

"What hast thou for thy master's seed?"

"O sower of the plain!"

"Where are the many gathered sheaves?"

"Thy hope should bring again!"

"The only record of my work lies in the buried grain."

"O conqueror of a thousand fields, in clinton armor bright!"

"What growth of purple amethyst?"

"Shall grow thy bry of might?"

"Only the blazon of my life flung widely in the right."

"What is the harvest of thy saints?"

"O God, who dost abide?"

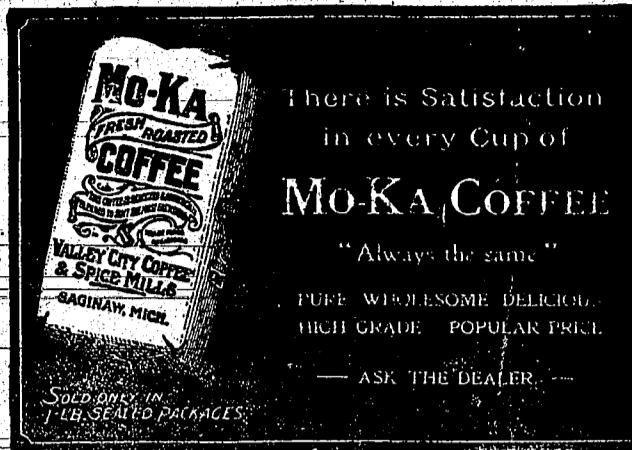
"Where grow the garlands of thy chief?"

"In blood and sorrow dyed?"

"What have thy servants for their pains?"

"This only to have tried?"

—Julia Ward Howe.



Pere Marquette Line Steamers

The Pere Marquette Line Steamers are now running on regular schedule between Manistee, Ludington and Milwaukee, leaving Manistee at 7:00 p. m. Take advantage of this, the most direct and cheapest route for passengers and freight from Milwaukee, Chicago and the west.

Teachers' Examination.

Outline of the Teachers' examination to be held in Grayling at the court house, June 15th and 16th, 1911.

ARITHMETIC.

Fractions.

Percentage.

Commercial discounts.

Commission and brokerage.

Stocks and bonds.

Denominative numbers, including all common measures.

Square root.

Mental Arithmetic.

GRAMMAR.

1. Language lessons based on stories and pictures.

Suggestion: Give a brief description of your method of using stories and pictures in teaching languages.

2. Grammar.

Sentence analysis with special attention to complex sentence containing substantive and adverbial clauses.

Syntax, with special attention to direct and indirect objects, nouns used as adverbs, and words used independently.

Infection, with special attention to nouns and pronouns, the use of the rules of the apostrophe, formation of plurals, etc.

Rules for punctuation, special attention being given to the use of the colon and quotation marks.

PHYSIOGRAPHY.

Commercial geography:

A study of the world's commerce with the view of finding the needs and wants of the various regions as based upon geographic conditions and growing out of the occupations of the people. Any recent commercial geography will serve as an outline of study, e.g., Trotter, Adams, Redway, Gannett-Garrison-Houston.

UNITED STATES HISTORY.

England and America.

1. England's place among the European nations in the sixteenth century.

2. Motives inciting England to exploration of the New World.

England and America, 1607-1618.

Humanitarian, economic and social conditions in America during the years 1831-1842, 1841-1857.

The origin, development and significance of socialism.

Great Commercial Crisis in America.

1. Time and cause.

2. Character.

3. Result.

The suspension of the Habeas Corpus during Civil War.

1. Cause.

2. Result.

The race problem in America.

Colonial life.

1. On a Virginia plantation.

2. In Boston.

3. In Philadelphia.

Important treaties of the United States.

1. Date and name.

2. Terms.

3. Result.

Economic and industrial conditions of the South since the Civil War.

Books to be reported upon.

The Conspiracy of Pontiac by Parkman.

"Standish of Standish" by Jane Austin.

Michigan History.

Current Events.

CIVIL GOVERNMENT.

In the June, August, and October examinations, a portion of the work will be based on "Civics and Health."

From the business point of view, do clergies the Lady's Realm, there is nothing so fatal for a woman to possess as "accomplishments." The market is flooded with ladies of limited incomes, limited brains and a tremendous quantity of "taste."

Women's Weakness.

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Our postal system.

The way in which a territory becomes a state.

Government of our island possessions.

The civil and criminal jurisdiction and procedure of Michigan Courts.

The President's cabinet and the work of the executive departments of the Federal Government.

The State Institutions of Michigan.

City government in Michigan.

Work of bureaus of supervisors and the various county officers.

Current political events of importance.

PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

Digestion—organs, anatomy and physiology, action of fluids, absorption, assimilation, Hygiene.

Diet—food—classes, value, quantity, preparation, Pure food laws.

Nervous system—anatomy, physiology, action, reflexes, reflex action, sympathetic system. Special senses.

Eye—anatomy, physiology, and hygiene, diseases of eye and minor eye.

Effects of alcohol and tobacco.

Contagious diseases—causes, prevention, cure, immunity, disinfection, vaccination.